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TO AMEMBASSY BUCHAREST IMMEDIATE

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SUBJECT: VIP TELECOMMUNICATIONS EQUIPMENT

REF: BUCHAREST 5157

1. WE APPLAUD EMBASSY'S INITIATIVE IN EXPRESSING TO GOR
OUR CONSTERNATION REGARDING GOR'S DIRECT APPROACH TO BOEING
REPRESENTATIVE. WE SINCERELY HOPE THAT ADEQUATE COORDINA-
TION WILL BE ESTABLISHED IMMEDIATELY BETWEEN CIVILIAN AND
MILITARY BRANCHES OF GOR. E WERE UNDER THE IMPRESSION
THAT SPATARU HAD BEEN DESIGNATED TO BE THE OVERALL COOR-
DINATOR FOR THIS PROJECT; PERHAPS THAT IS NO LONGER THE
CASE. WE URGE THAT EMBASSY CONTINUE TO STRESS TO GOR THE
IMPORTANCE OF USING THE INFORMATION CHANNEL ;E HAVE SET UP
DURING THE PAST YEAR.

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2. WE HOPE THAT GOR'S TALKS WITH EHRENWALD HAVE NOT JEOPAR-

DIZED CONFIDENTIALITY OF GOR'S REQUEST. EMBASSY SHOULD
REQUEST EHRENWALD TO HAVE HIS HOME OFFICE IN US CONTACT
GANLEY, WHO IS APPROPRIATE OFFICIAL IN DEPARTMENT COOR-
DINATING THIS PROJECT. WE WOULD PREFER TO HAVE BOEING
INFORM EHRENWALD HOW TO PROCEED WITH BID PREPARATION,
AFTER COMPANY'S DISCUSSION WITH GANLEY. REFTEL IMPLIES

THAT EHRENWALD IS AWARE THAT THIS TRANSACTION IS SUBJECT
TO EXPORT, MUNITIONS AND COCOM CONTROLS. KISSINGER

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